IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application	Jeffrey Donald Manuell et al.							
Serial No.:	10/687,285							
Filed:	October 16, 2003							
Group Art Unit	2115							
Confirmation N	o.: 7541							
For:	METHOD, APPARATUS AND PROGRAM PRODUCT FOR MANAGING THE OPERATION OF A COMPUTING COMPLEX DURING A UTILITY INTERRUPTION							
NOTICE OF APPEAL								
Commissioner f P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA								
Sir:								
	nt hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated 2006, of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1, 3-9, and 11-29.							
The item(s) che	cked below are appropriate:							
Ш	An extension of time to respond to the final rejection was granted on for month(s).							
2.	A timely response to the final rejection has been filed.							
3. <u>X</u>	This Notice of Appeal constitutes a timely response to the final rejection							
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4.	X	The fee of \$500.00 is:						
			Enclosed.					
			Not required. (Fee paid in prior appeal.)					
		X	Charged to Deposit Account No. <u>09-0465</u> . A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.					
Date: December 11, 2006				Resp	Respectfully submitted,			
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